

Appl. No. 10/613,374
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Appendix B

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In re Application of : Tau, Li-Min et al.
Serial No. : 10/289,168
Confirmation No. : 8150
Filing Date : November 5, 2002
For : Films Comprising Isotactic Propylene Copolymers
Group Art Unit : 1713

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The WINTEC® copolymers of Japan Polychem are believed to have a B-value of greater than 1.4. However, these copolymers are believed to have regio-errors at 17 ppm, not at 14.6 and 15.7 ppm.

The polypropylene resins of the first three examples of USP 5,134,209 are believed to have a skewness index, S_{ik} , greater than about -1.20. However, these polypropylene resins are not believed to have regio-errors at 14.6 and 15.7 ppm.

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The Applicant respectfully requests that the documents listed on the attached equivalent to Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner, that these references be made of record in the present applicant, and that an initialed copy of the attached equivalent to Form PTO-1449 be returned to the undersigned in accordance with MPEP 609.

Respectfully submitted,



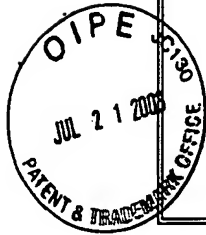
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	A1	5,134,209	07-28-92	Job et al.	526	141	12-26-90

FOREIGN PATENT OR PUBLISHED FOREIGN PATENT APPLICATION

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OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Relevant Pages, Place of Publication)

Examiner Initial		Non-Patent Document
	C1	News Release, Japan Polychem Launches WINTEC Metallocene-Based PP Random Copolymer, October 25, 2001, http://www.m-kagaku.co.jp/english/rel/2001/102501.htm

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